

2) consequences, (notably disruption)

✓ Objection on dissemination in action or in discussion  
(which was not concluded in the past)

It's US question

S: 1. Should he be used ~~to~~ in connection with immediate events? (except to mention US uncertainty of interpretation, hypotheses)

Or should he be reserved for exploration of longer-run developments?

2. ~~The~~ Comments on last interview.

3. ~~The~~ Last interview focussed on developments in SVN. Necessary to discuss DRV role — present US view of extent and critical nature of that role, and need to stop it (a major goal of US, along with SVN).

~~4~~ [1. What could we ask for that would really hinder DRV support, & would be checkable? 2) disruption of supply routes in Laos & DRV, at key points?

How about US regularly releasing photos?

(Would this force them off roads?) S1?

(Or just move at night?)



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~~What~~ Change in morale, expectations { US action in north?  
Support of SVN action?  
US indication of continued support:  
conditions?

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(The problem of dealing

Make point: US sees its special role as shielding  
SVN from external aggression, covert or overt.

We believe DRV role is not merely one ingredient, but  
is critical: without it, we believe G

We have not been anxious to expand the conflict.  
But we have ~~become~~<sup>come</sup> increasingly to recognize the DRV  
contribution to the insurgency in the ~~South~~ South VN as  
critical to the prolongation of the Viet Minh operations.

~~It is~~ <sup>It is</sup> not just one element among many. We are  
aware that the problem of internal disorder will not  
instantly disappear if the DRV ceases its support; but  
we are convinced that it will come increasingly under  
control when that external support ceases.

Accordingly, the US is determined to carry out and to support  
measures to ~~also~~ convince the DRV that it is ~~in its best~~

Evidence: observation affecting model requires rethinking impact of past evidence on  
current models.

Is any more or less ble "rational model" than is an "actual man" (Simon)?

Tag response: to give signals - not to evolving picture. <sup>force, signal,</sup> ~~modelled~~ response.